



**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:	)	
	Marek Zywno	)	Examiner: Compton, Eric B.
Applic	cation No. 10/782,250	)	Art Unit: 3726
Filed:	February 18, 2004	) )	Confirmation No.: 5000
For:	FLUID BEARINGS AND VACUUM CHUCKS AND METHODS FOR PRODUCING SAME	) ) )	
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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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